

# The Bee Hive.

## Great Reduction Sale Still Continues.

Reductions in Everything.

### Bargains in MEN'S SUITS

Men's \$7.50 Wool Suits \$4.50.

Men's \$8.50 Wool Suits \$5.25.

Men's \$1.00 Sweaters 57c. Men's Cotton Trousers, broken sizes, regular price 75c, 90c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.35 and \$1.40, ONLY 50c.

Closing out prices on Men's Hats and broken lines of Underwear.

SHOES--Broken lines of Men's Shoes at any old price to close.

A few pieces of Apron Check Gingham, 3c. Bargains in Ladies' and Children's Underwear. Misses' Hats 10c, 15c and up. Ladies' Hats at your own price. Greatest bargains in Skirts.

COME IN THE MORNING TO AVOID THE AFTERNOON RUSH

## WARRENTON LUMBER CO.

Manufacturers of and Dealers in

Fir, Spruce, and Hemlock **LUMBER**

Submit us your specifications on any bill you wish and we will give you best prices. We make a specialty of Spruce Bevel Siding and Factory Stock.

Shipments Made Either by Rail or Water.

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Capacity 75,000 feet per day.

## Scow Bay Iron & Brass Works

Manufacturers of

Iron, Steel, Brass and Bronze Castings. General Foundrymen and Patternmakers. Absolutely firstclass work. Prices lowest.

Phone 2451.

Corner Eighteenth and Franklin.

## PRAEL & COOK TRANSFER CO.

Telephone 221.

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All goods shipped to our care will receive special attention.

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CIGARS, PIPES, TOBACCO, ETC.

## WILL MADISON

530 COMMERCIAL ST. 114 ELEVENTH ST.

## A COAL HOD

that won't spill coal all over at

## W. C. LAWS & CO.

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We sell Stoves also.

## Staple and Fancy Groceries

FLOUR, FEED, PROVISIONS, TOBACCO AND CIGARS. Supplies of all kinds at lowest prices for Fishermen, Farmers and Loggers

Branch Uniontown, - - Phones, 711, - - Uniontown, 713

## A. V. ALLEN,

Tenth and Commercial Streets.

ASTORIA, OREGON.

## STRIKE AT AN END

Warsaw Factories Will Resume Operations.

## POLICE BLACKMAIL CITIZENS

Correspondent Describes a Deplorable Condition in the Prisons of Warsaw, and Details Corruption in Municipal Police Circles.

Warsaw, Feb. 2.—Elaborate preparations prevented the anticipated disturbances today. The authorities declare that the strike is practically at an end, and the smaller factories will reopen tomorrow; the large ones Monday. The streets are still in the hands of the military, but the city is quiet and almost deserted. There are rumors of disturbances in the suburbs but it is impossible to verify them because the authorities have seized the telephone service.

## People Blackmailed.

London, Feb. 2.—The Mail's correspondent at Warsaw reports wholesale blackmalling by police. He asserts citizens are stopped at night and forced to give up their money or go to prison, and states that the police are guilty of brutally whipping prisoners and liberating them on payment of \$5. He says the conditions in the prisons are scandalous, prisoners being herded into small cells devoid of sanitation.

## NORTH AMERICA.

Originally Mapped as an Extension of India and China.

"Uneducated Americans," says a correspondent of the London Times, "pronounce the name of their country America, calling themselves Amarians. In so doing they not only yield to a natural craving for a finer euphony, but, quite accidentally, I presume, are more correct etymologically than educated Americans, Amerigo being the Italian form of the Gothic Amalaric, contracted to Amarie. This personal name means 'strenuous in labor, resolute in action,' an appropriate motto to add to the Washington memorial in the national device of 'America.' "Brazil was the original America. Down to the first quarter of the sixteenth century our North America was still mapped as an extension of India, Tibet, China and Japan, with Brazil as an island, separated by the islands discovered by Columbus from the new world of Greater India, and named 'America provincia' and again 'America vel Brasilia.' "Not before the middle of the sixteenth century was the term 'America' extended to North America, with the addition 'vel Nova India.' In brief, the Americas were both mere windfalls in the heroic secular quest after 'spiced' India. This is the redoubled debt the Anglo-Saxon race owes India."

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## THREE RECIPES.

The Way to Either Can, Jam or Preserve a Husband.

For this purpose select a nice, kind, amiable, industrious, generous man. The American variety is far better than the foreign kind. Prepare him by having him go through a long engagement, which effectually renders him easy to handle. Gently detach him from all of his old friends and acquaintances and remove any habits he may have. He is then ready to can, preserve or make jam, as you choose. To can, merely deprive him of his latchkey and throw a handful of mother-in-law in the house. Men corked up

like this have been known to keep for years without spoiling, though when they are opened up, if kept too long, they are apt to be sour. To make jam, prepare as before, but shred all of his finer feelings by nagging and pound them into a pulp by complaints. To preserve a husband, put as much love into the heart as it will hold, add an ocean of sympathy, a world of tenderness, a pound of forbearance, a dram of patience and drop him into it until he is thoroughly coated over with sugar. Husbands should always be crystallized one at a time, never in pairs; neither should they ever be stood in hot water. This is where many women make mistakes.—Memphis Commercial Appeal.

## PANAMA HATS.

They Are Made From the Undeveloped Leaves of the Bombonaje.

The panama is a leaf hat made in Colombia, Ecuador and Peru from the undeveloped leaf of the "bombonaje," which is a screw pine rather than a palm. The trunk of the plant is only a yard in height, but the leaf stalks are two yards long.

The leaf before it has opened is prepared for the manufacture of hats. It then consists of a bundle of plaited about two feet long and an inch in diameter called a "cogollo." The green outside is stripped off, and by means of a forked instrument it is cut into narrow strips of uniform size.

The cogollo is next boiled to toughen the fiber and hung in the sun to dry and bleach, when the strips shrivel into cordlike strands ready for use. It takes sixteen cogollos for an ordinary hat and twenty-four for the finest, and a single hat is plaited in from four days to as many months, according to its texture and quality.—Mexican Herald.

## A Place of Great Heat.

The largest of the Aval islands, which are scattered over a considerable area in the Persian gulf, is said to be earth's hottest place. The mean temperature of Bahrein, as it is called, is 99 degrees for the whole year. No European can endure the heat, which at midnight rises to 100, in the morning is 107 or 108 and by 3 in the afternoon reaches the phenomenal height of 140 degrees. The island is inhabited by Arabs. The following high temperatures are also experienced at the places named: Parts of Algeria, 127 degrees; Agra, 117 degrees; and Lahore, 107 degrees.

## The Joke Turned.

Quiet Travelling Man—Call me at 5:30, please. Smart Hotel Clerk—What shall I call you at 5:30? Quiet Travelling Man—Call me a poor, misguided idiot for letting myself get roped in to stay all night here!—Baltimore American.

## Unhappy People Think.

It is the unhappy man who commonly sits down and thinks. The happy man gets up and does something—kills something if he is the traditional Englishman, makes love if he is the traditional Frenchman.—G. S. Street.

If you want something extra nice in the grocery line see

FOARD & STOKES CO. about it.

To All Whom It May Concern.

Please take notice that the copartnership heretofore existing between Charles Laine and Charles Niemi, carrying on a saloon business at No. 1361 Franklin avenue, in the city of Astoria, Clatsop county, state of Oregon, known as the "Half-Way House," is this day by mutual consent dissolved; the interest in the said business having been sold and transferred to Charles Niemi. Said Charles Niemi will continue in said business and is authorized to collect and receive all outstanding accounts due and owing said firm, and has assumed all the obligations of the said firm, existing at this date.

Dated at Astoria, Oregon, this 7th day of February, 1905.

CHAS. LAINE.  
CHAS. NIEMI.

## CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING.

### RATES:

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One Week, Each Line, 30c.  
Two Weeks, Each Line, 45c.  
One Month, Each Line, 75c.

### Astorian Free Want Ads.

Anyone Desiring a Situation can Insert an Advertisement in this Column of Three Lines Two Times Free of Charge.

### SITUATIONS WANTED.

WANTED—WORK OF ANY KIND; teaming preferred. Apply S. A. Gimre.

### HELP WANTED.

WANTED—LADY OF GENTLEMAN of fair education to travel for a firm of \$250,000 capital; salary \$1,072 per year and expenses; paid weekly. Apply, with stamp, J. A. Alexander, M Astoria, Oregon.

MEN—THE ORIGINAL JNO. A. Moler's Barber College, 644 Clay St., San Francisco, is the largest, lightest and cleanest college in America; trade taught in eight weeks; positions guaranteed; tuition earned while learning; expert instructors; constant practice. Write correct number (644 Clay), for terms.

DETECTIVES, SHREWD, CLEVER men in every locality; steady work guaranteed every day; we prepare the inexperienced for the business. Write "Principal," Rooms 40-41 Loan & Trust Bldg., Milwaukee, Wis.

AGENTS—READ IN DARK. NAME-plates, signs, numbers; 200 per cent profit; samples free. Write Supply Co., Englewood, Ill.

### BIDS WANTED.

OFFICE CONSTRUCTING QUARTERMASTER, Astoria, Ore., Jan. 17, 1905. Sealed proposals, in triplicate, will be received at this office until 10 o'clock a. m. February 6, 1905, and then opened for grading and construction of plank roadways and sidewalks about new public buildings at Fort Stevens, Ore. United States reserves the right to reject any or all proposals. Plans can be seen and specifications obtained at this office. Information furnished on application. Envelopes should be marked "Proposals for grading, etc." and addressed Captain Goodale, Quartermaster, Astoria, Ore.

U. S. ENGINEER OFFICE, PORTLAND, Ore., December 30, 1904. Sealed proposals will be received here for stone for extension of jetty at mouth of Columbia river, Oregon and Washington, until 11 a. m., January 31, 1905, and then publicly opened. Information on application. W. C. Langfitt, Maj. Engrs.

Bids are asked for the raising and improving of the First Lutheran church. Specifications may be seen at the parsonage, 1717 Franklin avenue. All bids to be in on or before the 15th of February, 1905. The church council reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

NOTICE FOR BIDS—ASTORIA, FEBRUARY 1, 1905.—Bids will be received for the grading and excavating for the new St. Mary's Hospital. Plan and specification may be seen at the office of the architect at St. Mary's Hospital. All bids to be in on or before the 14th of this month. Right reserved to reject any or all bids.

### FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE.

HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE OR rent near Young's Bay bridge. Inquire of A. E. Beard, 269 Grand avenue.

### JUNK DEALERS.

HIGHEST PRICES PAID FOR ALL kinds of old junk. Bought and sold. 173 Tenth St.

### FOR RENT—ROOMS.

For Rent—Large furnished front room; fire; near business part of town. \$5 per month. Inquire this office.

FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOMS, near business part of town. Apply over Fisher Bros' store.

FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOMS. Inquire 191 Seventh street.

FOR RENT—A FURNISHED HOUSE, centrally located. Inquire of Van Dusen & Co.

### FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS.

INCUBATOR FOR SALE—400 EGGS capacity; also three 100 capacity brooders; first-class condition. Address A. Astorian Office.

HORSE, BUGGY AND HARNESS for sale. Address M. Astorian.

### LOST.

LOST—SMALL MINK BOA; Finder will receive reward by leaving at this office.

### Teachers' Examinations.

Notice is hereby given that the county superintendent of Clatsop county will hold the regular examination of applicants for state and county papers at the court house as follows:

For state papers—  
Commencing Wednesday, February 8, at 9 o'clock a. m. and continuing until Saturday, February 11, at 4 o'clock p. m.  
Wednesday—Penmanship, history, spelling, algebra, reading, school law.  
Thursday—Written arithmetic, theory of teaching, grammar, bookkeeping, physics, civil government.  
Friday—Physiology, geography, mental arithmetic, composition, physical geography.  
Saturday—Botany, plane geometry, general history, English literature, psychology.

Commencing Wednesday, February 8, at 9 o'clock a. m. and continuing until Friday, February 10, at 4 o'clock p. m.:  
First, Second and Third Grade Certificates.

Wednesday—Penmanship, history, orthography, reading.  
Thursday—Written arithmetic, theory of teaching grammar, physiology.  
Friday—Geography, mental arithmetic, school law, civil government.  
Primary Certificates.

Wednesday—Penmanship, orthography, arithmetic, reading.  
Thursday—Art of questioning, theory of teaching physiology.

EMMA C. WARREN,  
School Superintendent, Clatsop County.

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